

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Cain	
Application No.: 09/457209	Group Art Unit: 2431
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Title: System, Device, and Method for Sending Keep-Alive Messages in a Communication Network	Examiner: Zia
Attorney Docket No.: 120-025	

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Please enter this response to the Office Action dated October 22, 2010.